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**Mail Stop Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents

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Customer Service Window, Mail Stop Amendment

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a **Supplemental Preliminary Amendment** in the above-captioned application.

\_\_\_ Small Entity Status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a previously filed statement.

\_\_\_ A Request for Extension of Time.

\_\_\_ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

X An Information Disclosure Statement, PTO Form 1449, and references cited.

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Sir:

Prior to an examination of the above-identified patent application and further to the Preliminary Amendment filed April 21, 2006, entry of the following amendment is respectfully requested.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 5 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 9 of this paper.